

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1998 - 0530 MDT  
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Increased fire activity was reported in the Northern Rockies and Eastern Areas. Resource mobilization through NICC was minimal. Very high and extreme fire indices continue to be reported in Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Michigan. Several units in Colorado and Kansas reported very high fire indices yesterday.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN LARGE FIRES:

BIG TURKEY, Pike-San Isabel NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hart) is assigned. The fire is north of Woodland Park. Two cabins were destroyed by the fire on Sunday. Extensive mop-up is in progress due to unburned islands within the perimeter and spots outside of the line.

| INCIDENT   | UNIT | ST | SIZE | %   | EST  | TOTAL | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC | EST  | \$\$\$ |
|------------|------|----|------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|------|------|------|--------|
|            |      |    |      | CTN | CTN  | PERS  |     |     |      | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D  |
| BIG TURKEY | PSF  | CO | 600  | 80  | 5/19 | 148   | 4   | 9   | 1    | 2    | UNK  | 155K   |

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CAMP FAUNCE, Hiawatha NF. This human caused fire is burning in mixed marsh land and jack pine 15 miles west of the Chippewa International Airport. The fire received some precipitation Sunday night. Dry conditions yesterday caused the fire to become active. Containment was expected late last night.

RIVER ROAD II, Huron NF. This human caused fire is burning in fourteen year old jack pine regeneration two miles west of Oscoda. A subdivision with 20+ homes was evacuated. A 200 foot fuel break constructed in 1996 was instrumental in stopping the forward spread of the fire. Containment was expected late last night.

| INCIDENT      | UNIT | ST | SIZE  | %   | EST  | TOTAL | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC | EST  | \$\$\$ |
|---------------|------|----|-------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|------|------|------|--------|
|               |      |    |       | CTN | CTN  | PERS  |     |     |      | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D  |
| CAMP FAUNCE   | HIF  | MI | 1,700 | 50  | 5/18 | 139   | 5   | 8   | 1    | 0    | UNK  | 71K    |
| RIVER ROAD II | HUF  | MI | 100   | 50  | 5/18 | 49    | 2   | 11  | 0    | 0    | UNK  | UNK    |

NORTHERN ROCKIES LARGE FIRES:

SANDBURN, Miles City District. This lightning fire is burning in grass, sage and juniper 30 miles north of Moseby. Dry conditions are causing spotting, but no problems are anticipated. Containment was expected last night.

| INCIDENT | UNIT | ST | SIZE | %   | EST  | TOTAL | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC | EST  | \$\$\$ |
|----------|------|----|------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|------|------|------|--------|
|          |      |    |      | CTN | CTN  | PERS  |     |     |      | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D  |
| SANDBURN | MCD  | MT | 600  | 35  | 5/18 | 62    | 2   | 7   | 0    | UNK  | UNK  | UNK    |

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CIBOLO CREEK, Texas State. This fire is 35 miles southwest of Marfa. Crews continue burn-out operations and working on hot spots.

| INCIDENT     | UNIT | ST | SIZE   | %   | EST  | TOTAL | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC | EST  | \$\$\$ |
|--------------|------|----|--------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|------|------|------|--------|
|              |      |    |        | CTN | CTN  | PERS  |     |     |      | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D  |
| CIBOLO CREEK | TXS  | TX | 60,000 | 90  | 5/19 | 239   | 5   | 10  | 7    | 0    | UNK  | UNK    |

OUTLOOK:

New Mexico and west Texas will be partly cloudy with a few dry thunderstorms and near Red Flag conditions due to breezy south to southwest winds at 15-25 MPH. High temperatures will be in the 80's to 90's with upper 60's to near 80's in the mountains.

The central Front Range of Colorado will be partly cloudy and breezy with a few afternoon thunderstorms. Winds will be southwest at 15-25 MPH. High temperatures will be in the 80's with 60's and lower 70's in the mountains.

The Great Lake States will be dry with a chance of showers and thunderstorms in Michigan. Winds will be northwest at 10-20 MPH. High temperatures will range from 75 in the north to 85 in the south.

Florida will be partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon showers or thunderstorms in the central and southern portions. High temperatures will be in the mid 80's to lower 90's.

| AREA      | FIRES: Yesterday |     |     |     |       |      | TOTAL |
|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
|           | BIA              | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS |       |
| ALASKA    |                  |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| NORTHWEST |                  |     |     |     |       |      | NR    |
| CA-NORTH  |                  |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| CA-SOUTH  |                  |     |     |     |       | 1    | 1     |
| NORTHERN  |                  | 1   |     |     |       |      | 1     |

|           |   |   |   |   |  |    |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|--|----|----|----|
| GB-EAST   |   |   |   |   |  |    |    | NR |
| GB-WEST   |   |   |   |   |  |    |    | NR |
| SOUTHWEST |   |   |   |   |  |    | 6  | 6  |
| ROCKY MTN |   |   |   |   |  |    | 2  | 2  |
| EASTERN   |   |   |   |   |  | 36 | 1  | 37 |
| SOUTHERN  |   |   |   |   |  |    |    | 0  |
| USA       | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  | 36 | 10 | 47 |

| ACRES BURNED: Yesterday |     |     |     |     |       |      |       |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| AREA                    | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
| ALASKA                  |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| NORTHWEST               |     |     |     |     |       |      | NR    |
| CA-NORTH                |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| CA-SOUTH                |     |     |     |     |       | 0    | 0     |
| NORTHERN                |     | 600 |     |     |       |      | 600   |
| GB-EAST                 |     |     |     |     |       |      | NR    |
| GB-WEST                 |     |     |     |     |       |      | NR    |
| SOUTHWEST               |     |     |     |     |       | 6    | 6     |
| ROCKY MTN               |     |     |     |     |       | 100  | 100   |
| EASTERN                 |     |     |     |     | 19    | 400  | 419   |
| SOUTHERN                |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| USA                     | 0   | 600 | 0   | 0   | 19    | 506  | 1,125 |

| RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------|----------|------|---------|------|----------|------|
| AREA                                 | CREWS |      | ENGINES |      | HELICOP. |      | AIRTNK. |      | OVERHEAD |      |
|                                      | FED   | ST/O | FED     | ST/O | FED      | ST/O | FED     | ST/O | FED      | ST/O |
| ALASKA                               |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| NORTHWEST                            |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| CA-NORTH                             | 1     |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| CA-SOUTH                             |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| NORTHERN                             | 2     |      | 5       | 2    |          |      |         |      | 1        |      |
| GB-EAST                              |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| GB-WEST                              |       |      |         |      |          |      |         |      |          |      |
| SOUTHWEST                            | 3     |      | 5       |      | 1        |      | 1       |      |          |      |
| ROCKY MTN                            | 8     |      | 8       | 3    | 2        |      |         |      | 42       | 6    |
| EASTERN                              | 4     | 5    | 11      | 8    | 1        |      |         |      | 48       | 28   |
| SOUTHERN                             | 5     | 2    | 5       | 10   | 3        | 6    |         |      | 19       | 57   |
| USA                                  | 23    | 7    | 34      | 23   | 7        | 6    | 1       | 0    | 110      | 91   |

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

| FIRES: Year to date |     |     |     |     |       |      |       |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| AREA                | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
| ALASKA              | 1   | 5   |     |     | 147   |      | 153   |
| NORTHWEST           | 16  | 9   |     |     | 24    | 30   | 79    |

|           |     |    |    |    |        |     |        |
|-----------|-----|----|----|----|--------|-----|--------|
| CA-NORTH  |     | 1  |    |    | 62     | 7   | 70     |
| CA-SOUTH  |     | 4  |    | 2  | 156    | 40  | 202    |
| NORTHERN  | 181 | 3  | 9  |    | 72     | 47  | 312    |
| GB-EAST   | 3   |    |    |    |        |     | 3      |
| GB-WEST   |     | 14 |    | 1  | 5      | 3   | 23     |
| SOUTHWEST | 103 | 22 | 2  | 21 | 351    | 125 | 624    |
| ROCKY MTN | 110 | 9  |    |    | 135    | 33  | 287    |
| EASTERN   | 499 |    |    | 12 | 6,497  | 296 | 7,304  |
| SOUTHERN  | 8   |    | 28 | 20 | 9,596  | 401 | 10,053 |
| USA       | 921 | 67 | 39 | 56 | 17,045 | 982 | 19,110 |

| ACRES BURNED: Year to date |        |       |       |       |         |        |         |
|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| AREA                       | BIA    | BLM   | FWS   | NPS   | ST/OT   | USFS   | TOTAL   |
| ALASKA                     | 1      | 487   |       |       | 121     |        | 609     |
| NORTHWEST                  | 311    | 605   |       |       | 272     | 61     | 1,249   |
| CA-NORTH                   |        | 0     |       |       | 7       | 2      | 9       |
| CA-SOUTH                   |        | 1     |       | 0     | 16      | 2      | 19      |
| NORTHERN                   | 941    | 640   | 1,045 |       | 1,360   | 1,675  | 5,661   |
| GB-EAST                    | 158    |       |       |       |         |        | 158     |
| GB-WEST                    |        | 7     |       | 0     | 5       | 2      | 10      |
| SOUTHWEST                  | 838    | 1,199 | 4     | 432   | 31,474  | 263    | 34,210  |
| ROCKY MTN                  | 1,041  | 79    |       |       | 2,595   | 1,055  | 4,770   |
| EASTERN                    | 9,814  |       |       | 174   | 63,218  | 3,417  | 76,623  |
| SOUTHERN                   | 35     |       | 5,994 | 5,452 | 163,253 | 7,165  | 181,899 |
| USA                        | 13,139 | 3,018 | 7,043 | 6,058 | 262,321 | 13,642 | 305,221 |

| CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES |           |     |              |         |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----|--------------|---------|
| PROVINCES                 | YESTERDAY |     | YEAR TO DATE |         |
| BRITISH COLUMBIA          |           |     | 353          | 2,279   |
| YUKON TERRITORY           |           |     | 12           | 9       |
| ALBERTA                   | 3         | 0   | 314          | 235,770 |
| NORTHWEST TERRITORY       |           |     | 1            | 1       |
| SASKATCHEWAN              | 9         | 2   | 209          | 17,907  |
| MANITOBA                  |           |     | 137          | 6,914   |
| ONTARIO                   | 22        | 24  | 370          | 28,782  |
| QUEBEC                    | 18        | 312 | 244          | 5,376   |
| NEWFOUNDLAND              | 0         | 26  | 75           | 914     |
| NEW BRUNSWICK             | 1         | 1   | 111          | 298     |
| NOVA SCOTIA               | 8         | 0   | 137          | 218     |
| PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND      |           |     | 7            | 43      |
| NATIONAL PARKS            |           |     | 8            | 614     |
| TOTALS                    | 61        | 365 | 1,978        | 299,125 |

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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